

PACIFIED THE MINERS

Vice President Lewis' Strong
Plea for Order.

TELLERS' REPORT ADOPTED

Dolan's Opponents Failed to Stampede
Meeting.

A LIVELY TIME AT PITTSBURG

Anti-Dolanites Appointed Committee
to Employ Counsel to Fight In-
junction—To Meet Wednesday.

After six days of turmoil and
strife the delegates to the miners'
convention of Pittsburgh district, in
that city, secured a breathing spell
yesterday afternoon by adjourn-
ing until next Wednesday.

Before the close, however, Presi-
dent Dolan was successful in hav-
ing the election tellers' report read,
and, despite appeals from his de-
cision, declared himself, Uriah Bel-
lingham and William Dodds elect-
ed respectively president, vice presi-
dent and secretary-treasurer for
the coming year.

Confusion prevailed during al-
most the entire session today, and
order was only restored when Vice
President Lewis, in a speech to the
delegates, threatened to leave the
city and not return. President Dolan
announced that within twenty-
four hours he would make public a
statement of his position, with his
reasons for voting as he did at the
Indianapolis convention.

PITTSBURG, February 10.—The court
proceedings of the morning apparently had
no effect on the enthusiasm of the de-
legates to the miners' convention. When
President Dolan called for the report of
the tellers' committee on the recent elec-
tion, when the delegates reconvened this
afternoon, a warm argument at once en-
sued.

For five days President Dolan has been
trying to get this report before the con-
vention, and when it was called this after-
noon Delegate James Watchorn moved an
adjournment until next Wednesday. This
Dolan promptly ruled out of order, and a
dozen delegates insisted on an appeal
from the chair's ruling being taken. But
President Dolan stood like a rock and
wheeled the gavel in a defiant manner.

The delegates then adjourned until
yesterday afternoon, when the delegates
reconvened at the call of the tellers' com-
mittee, and also to every local union
in the United States.

President Dolan again asked that the
tellers read their report, and upon ob-
jections from various parts of the hall he
accused the delegates of purposely delay-
ing the proceedings, and called them to
the provisions of the injunction. Na-
tional Vice President Lewis then took
the floor and made an impassioned plea for
the delegates to carefully consider all their
actions, as it was 20,000 miners who were
represented, and not only a few locals.

Lewis Hurls a Threat.
"If you do not heed my advice," said he,
"when I leave this city I will not come
back to advise you, and no man will
come back to advise you, and no man will
come back to advise you."

He urged the delegates not to adjourn
the convention, but to transact the business
properly, so that they could give an intelli-
gent report to their constituents. He again
referred to the coming struggle that April 1
may develop, and told of the necessity for
absolute harmony so that the best interests
of the mine workers of the country can
be served.

The earnest and eloquent work of Mr.
Lewis had the effect of quieting the dele-
gates and the tellers' report was then pre-
sented. The report showed that President
Dolan had received 8,302 votes, and was
elected without opposition. Vice President
Uriah Bellingham was also re-elected, re-
ceiving 4,433 votes, as was William Dodds
for secretary-treasurer. Dodds received
4,933 votes.

Declared Officers Elected.
At the close of the report and without
waiting for action by the convention Presi-
dent Dolan declared the officers named
elected for another year.

Confusion again reigned, and appeals
from the decision were made by delegates
from all parts of the hall, but the chair
ruled them out of order, and announced ad-
journment until next Wednesday.

Dolan's opponents met immediately after
the close of the convention and appointed
a committee to employ counsel to fight the
injunction.

It was also decided to take legal action
enjoining the newly elected officers from
taking their seats on April 1.

Letters from a number of locals were read
at the meeting, pledging money for this
purpose.

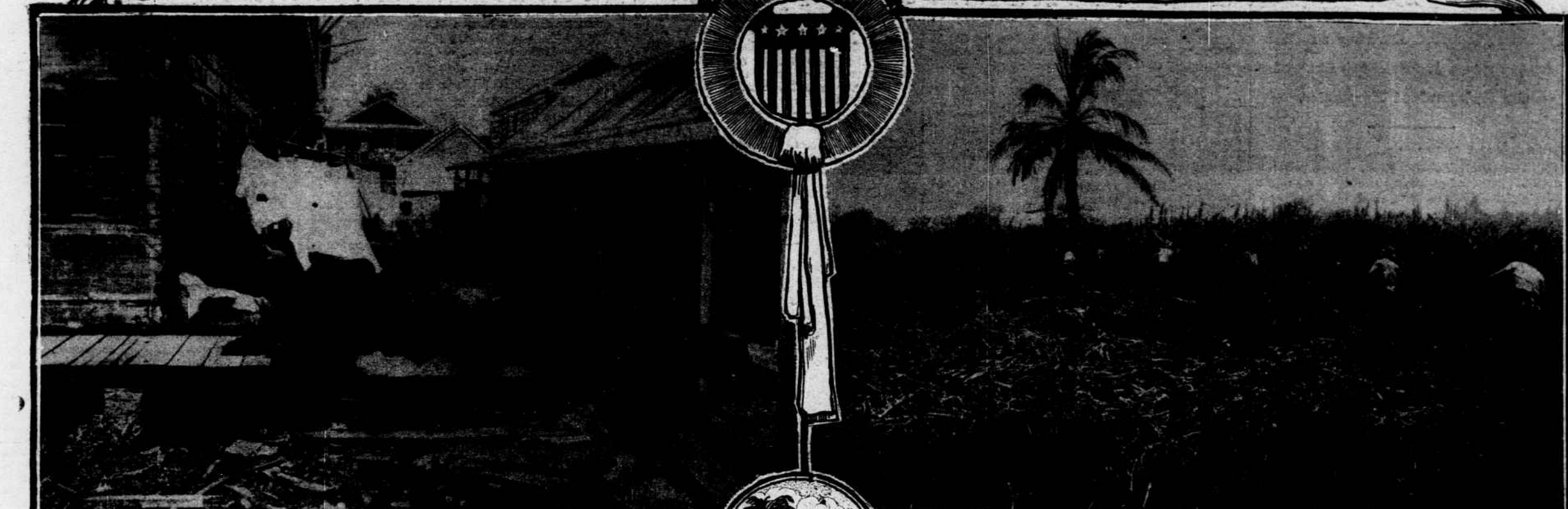
COMPLETED THEIR LABORS.

Anthracite Miners' Scale Committee
Adjourned Their Meeting.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., February 10.—The
members of anthracite miners' scale com-
mittee who have been in session here since
Thursday last completed their labors to-
day, and will leave for their homes to-
morrow. The demands as formulated will
not be made public until the joint confer-
ence is held in New York next Thursday.
After the adjournment a meeting of the
executive officers of the three district
boards was held, but what action was
taken is not known. The three district
presidents, Messrs. Bell, Bailey and
Dettrey, will meet President Mitchell in
New York on Monday next, when the work
of the scale committee will be gone over.

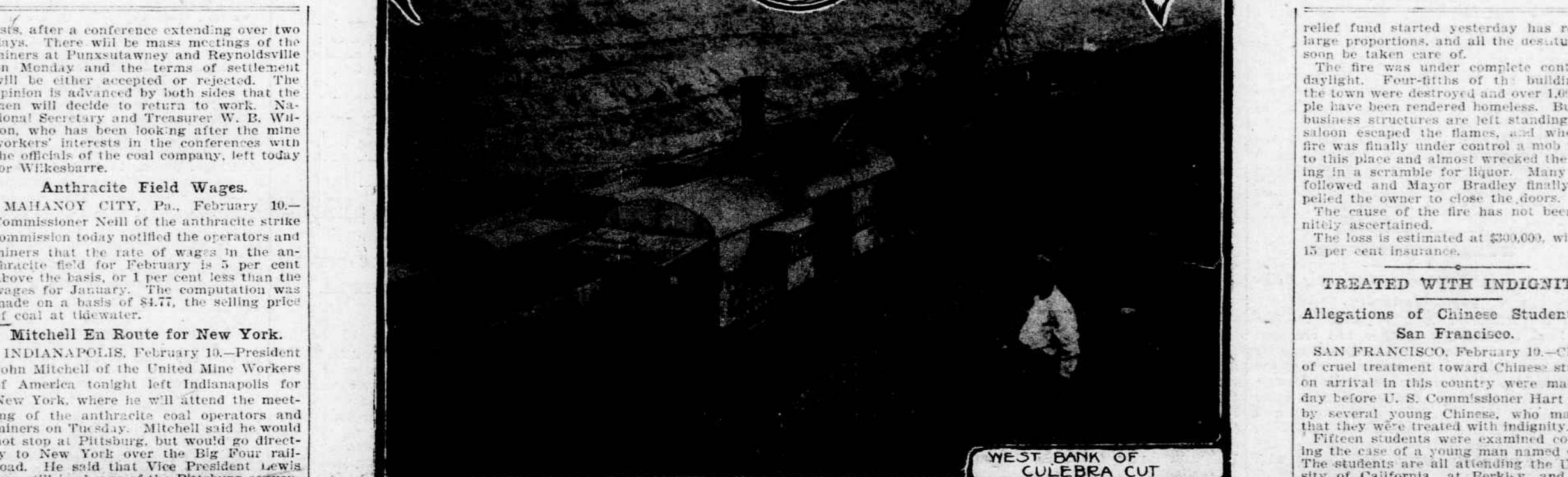
One Agreement is Expected.
DUBOIS, Pa., February 10.—An agree-
ment which it is expected will be satisfac-
tory to both sides was reached this after-
noon by the representatives of the miners
and General Manager Robinson of the Bu-
falo, Rochester and Pittsburgh coal inter-

AT WORK ON THE PANAMA CANAL



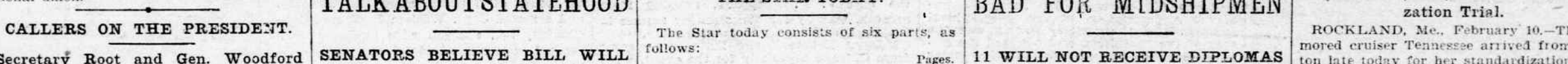
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Special Dispatch to The Star.
BALTIMORE, Md., February 10.—Capt. William N. Blow of Washington arrived here yesterday and is a medical patient at the Johns Hopkins Hospital. Captain Blow, who is suffering from a complication of nervous diseases, is being treated by Dr. Mitchell at the hospital.

REPUBLICAN SENATORS TRYING TO MAKE RATE BILL ACCEPTABLE

Republican members of the Senate com-
mittee on Interstate Commerce, with the
exception of Senators Dooliver and Clapp,
who are committed to the House bill, held
an extended conference following the
meeting of the committee yesterday
afternoon. They endeavored to draft an
amendment providing for the review of
orders of the interstate commerce com-
mission which would be likely to receive
the favorable consideration of opponents
of a feature of that character. When the
committee meets tomorrow these mem-
bers expect to offer an amendment in
terms similar to the provision of the
Esch-Townsend bill as it passed the
House. They expect to show that no ques-
tion has been raised against the review
feature until this session, and if with that
argument they cannot obtain favorable
action from the Senate, they announce
that they will appeal to the House.

Before the committee adjourned yester-
day Senator Tillman offered an amend-
ment to exempt Pullman cars and express
companies. He said that, in view of the
uncertainty as to whether they would be
included in the definition of transportation
lines, he would offer the amendment to
make certain that they would not be. No
vote was taken on the amendment.

Capt. Blow at Baltimore Hospital.

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THREE BURNED TO DEATH.

Consumed in Fire That Destroyed
Eastman (Ga.) Jail.

EASTMAN, Ga., February 10.—Last night
the city barracks caught fire and the build-
ing, together with its three inmates, who
had been placed there for being drunk and
disorderly, were consumed. The inmates
were D. A. Cooper, Elbert Mullis and John
B. Hart, all white men. Cooper was about
fifty-five years old and left a large family.
Mullis was about fifty years old and leaves
a large family also. Hart was a young
man and left a wife and child.

The origin of the fire is unknown, but it
is supposed to have caught from the in-
side by a match being dropped in the bed-
ding.

TRAGEDY IN GEORGIA.

Two Sons of D. S. McDuffie Killed
Near Rochelle.

ROCHELLE, Ga., February 10.—At the
home of Jesse Hearn north of Rochelle last
night Joe Watts shot and instantly killed
D. S. McDuffie, Jr., and Orrin B. McDuffie,
sons of D. S. McDuffie, sr., aged nineteen
and sixteen.

They were at the gate leaving for home
from a party. There were a few words be-
tween Watts and the elder McDuffie. Then
Watts shot both the young men through
the heart, killing them instantly. Watts
fled and is now being pursued by the sheriff.

WRECK ON THE LAKE SHORE.

Train Derailed and Many Passengers
Bruised—A Texas Crash.

LA PORTE, Ind., February 10.—The Lake
Shore limited train, east bound, which left
Chicago this evening for New York, struck
a light engine at Burdick, Ind., tonight,
and was derailed, causing excitement
among the passengers for a short time,
but none of the passengers was seriously
injured, although nearly all were bruised.
The engineer of the limited locomotive was
seriously injured. A wrecking crew from
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NEARLY ALL OF TOWN BURNED.

Littleton, W. Va., Visited by a \$300,000
Conflagration.

WHEELING, W. Va., February 10.—Re-
ports received here today from Littleton,
W. Va., which was almost devastated yester-
day by fire, say there is much suffering
among the families whose homes were de-
stroyed on account of the cold weather.
Scores of families are huddled together over
the embers of their homes, and deaths
from exhaustion are likely to result. The

WIFE MURDER IN RICHMOND.

Alfred Grammor, Colored, Shot and
Killed His Wife.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE STAR.
RICHMOND, Va., February 10.—Alfred
Grammor, colored, this evening shot and
instantly killed his wife. The man came
from work and had a difficulty with the
woman. Grammor seized an old army mus-
ket, aimed it at his wife and pulled the trig-
ger. With the report of the weapon the
woman fell, and the floor was covered with
her right hand was entirely carried away
and the charge of shot went through the
woman's body.

When she made a break for liberty, the
police were notified and got on the case.
The man was caught three miles from the
scene of the killing half an hour later. He
was locked up. He will make no statement.

KILLED MARRIED WOMAN.

Because She Refused to Leave Her
Husband—Turned Pistol on Himself.

PHILADELPHIA, February 10.—In a
jealous rage Frank Populace, aged twenty-
nine years, today shot and instantly killed
Mrs. Anna Jablonsky, aged thirty-five
years, with whom he boarded. Running to
the street, he was pursued by a crowd, and
after a chase of two blocks he turned the
weapon upon himself. The bullet entered
his right eye and he is dying in a hospital.
According to the police Populace was em-
ployed by Mrs. Jablonsky and had repeatedly
endeavored to persuade her to leave her
husband.

When she refused him today he, in a
frenzy, shot her through the head.

ARMORED CRUISER TENNESSEE

At Rockland, Me., for Her Standardi-
zation Trial.

ROCKLAND, Me., February 10.—The ar-
mored cruiser Tennessee arrived from Bos-
ton late today for her standardization trial
on the Odis Head course, which will prob-
ably take place on Monday. Should the
weather predictions indicate a storm on
Monday, the cruiser may be sent over the
course tomorrow.

The naval trial board will report on the
Tennessee tomorrow morning.

The cruiser had an unspectacular trip from
Boston and anchored in the bay shortly
after sunset.

It was tonight it was decided to hold the
standardization trial tomorrow. The
cruiser will start over the mile course
fourteen times.

SILK MEN AT BANQUET.

Many Notables Present—Address by
Representative McClary.

NEW YORK, February 10.—Four hun-
dred members of the Silk Association of
America attended the thirty-fourth anni-
versary banquet tonight. Joseph W. Con-
stant, president of the association, was toast-
master, and seated at the guest table with
him were Gov. Utter of Rhode Island, J. B.
Reynolds, assistant secretary of the treas-
ury, Eki Hokk, charge d'affaires of Japan
at Washington, Representative James P.
McClary of Minnesota, Rear Admiral J. B.
Coghlan and Rear Admiral James En-
twistle of the United States navy and S.
Uchida, consul general of Japan in New
York.

Gov. Utter responded to the toast "Our
Country." "Japan" was responded to by
Mr. Hokk, while the toast, "Protection Our
From Permanent Policy," was discussed
by Representative McClary.

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